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# RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Dear Sir

Applicant(s) hereby respond(s) to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated July 15, 2005.

The items checked below are appropriate:

#### 1. Status of Applicant

This application is on behalf of  $\boxtimes$  other than a small entity or  $\square$  a small entity.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8								
I hereby certify that this Response and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, \( \sqrt{\text{d}} \) being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or \( \sqrt{\text{b}} \) being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Facsimile Number								
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2.	Documents Submitted Herewith								
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	Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for the other than a small entity or a small entity.								
				Fee 1	Due	\$13	30.00		
5.	Non-English	Specification Sur	charge						
	Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.								
				Fee 1	Due	\$	0.00		
6.	Extension of	Time							
	Applicant(s) petition(s) for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$120.00.								
	Applicant(s) believe(s) that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant(s) has/have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.								

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### 7. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Application Filing Fee

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Extension of Time Fee

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Total Fee Due: \$130.00

## 8. Fee Payment

Attached is a check in the sum of \$ .

Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$130.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

#### 9. Fee Deficiency

If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/22/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/22/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/22/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/22/2004
- Biochemical Sequence Diskette filed on 12/22/2004
- Biochemical Sequence Listing filed on 12/22/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 12/22/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/22/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 12/22/2004
- Specification filed on 12/22/2004
- Claims filed on 12/22/2004

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR) 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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